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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 3.

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- a. ☐ Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.
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- ii. ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. ☒ Enclosed:
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply- \_\_\_\_\_ pages.
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS).
- vi. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.

### 2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of Action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months: Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)
- b. ☒ Notification of Extension of Time (for one (1) month).
- c. ☒ Baker Botts LLP return postcard.
- d. ☒ Other: Revocation of Attorney and Appointment of New Attorney.

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- b. ☒ Check(s) in the amount(s) of **\$395.00 & \$60.00** enclosed.
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